

# The Social Mirror

usually elaborate and pretty was the luncheon presided over by Mrs. C. C. Walcott, on Thursday afternoon in honor of Mrs. C. C. Walcott. The center piece was a large cut glass bowl filled with red and white grapes, while strewn over the table were long stemmed American roses, and with each place card a rose. After a most delicious meal the guests enjoyed the afternoon bridge. Mrs. Walcott, as the hostess, received a handsome silver card case. The high score was made by Mrs. R. E. Sloan for which she received a very pretty cut glass vase for a consolation. Mrs. Walcott's guests were Mrs. C. C. Walcott, Jr., Mrs. Fred W. Foster, Mrs. H. Burmister, Mrs. R. E. Sloan, Mrs. Thomas G. Norris, Mrs. Thomas G. Campbell, Mrs. G. E. Meany, Mrs. J. J. Fisher, Mrs. Edward A. Sturges, Mrs. T. C. Job, Mrs. Harold A. Burton, Mrs. Ralph R. Glass, Mrs. Paul Burks, Miss Theresa Fredericks, and Miss Harriet Jean Oliver.

A gay crowd of young people were entertained by Mrs. Frederick P. on Tuesday evening, complimentary to Miss Lila Hawkins. The guests were asked to bring sewing and the election returns. There were five democrats present but they left their spirits by making the noise and setting off fire crackers. Mrs. Burmister and the county ticket. Mrs. Burmister was assisted by Mrs. Wallace and Mrs. John Mason Ross. After a delicious oyster supper the guests departed feeling that they had had a more than jolly evening. Mrs. Burmister's guests were Miss Lila Hawkins, Miss Mabel Norris, Miss Ann McLeslie, Miss Winnifred Fredericks, Miss Emily Daniels, Miss Winnifreda Gale, Miss Emma Dutcher, Miss Wilhelmina Gassman, Miss Lora Bitnar, Miss Florence Cady, Miss Cora Thomas, Miss Fairbank, Mrs. John Mason Ross and Miss Harriet Jean Oliver.

Saturday afternoon Mrs. W. H. Hawkins was hostess at a very delightful and elegant party, complimentary to Mrs. C. C. Walcott, Jr. At the close of a very pleasant afternoon Mrs. Walcott was given a very pretty silk evening bag, for the guest prize. The high prize was won by Mrs. J. J. Fisher. It was a silver deposit bottle, and Mrs. Ralph R. Glass received a silver pickle fork for making the most slams. Mrs. T. C. Job was given a green vase for the consolation prize. Mrs. Doyle was assisted by Miss Winnifreda Gale. Those who enjoyed the afternoon were Mrs. C. C. Walcott, Jr., Mrs. Fred W. Foster, Mrs. Edward A. Sturges, Mrs. H. Burmister, Mrs. J. J. Fisher, Mrs. Ralph R. Glass, Mrs. Fred W. Foster, Mrs. Dixon Fagerberg, Mrs. G. E. Meany, Mrs. Thomas G. Campbell, Mrs. Thomas C. Job, Mrs. L. A. Hight, Mrs. Ralph Hight, Mrs. Leslie Larimer, Mrs. H. H. McNeil, Mrs. Hazeline, Mrs. J. M. Watts, Mrs. J. J. Fisher, Mrs. Frank M. Drescher, Mrs. John Mason Ross and Miss Harriet Jean Oliver.

Mrs. Thomas C. Job was hostess on Sunday evening at a very delightful and elegant party, complimentary to Mrs. C. C. Walcott, Jr. The evening was pleasantly spent playing cards and receiving the election returns. Mrs. Paul Burks received a very pretty silver card case for the high score prize, and Mrs. R. E. Sloan received a brass bowl for making the most slams. The consolation prize—a bridge book and score card—were given Mrs. H. D. Aitken for her consolation. Mrs. Job's guests were Mrs. H. D. Aitken, Mrs. J. J. Fisher, Mrs. Paul Burks, Mrs. Robert H. Burmister, Mrs. Thomas C. Campbell, Mrs. Carpenter, Mrs. W. H. Doyle, Mrs. Elva Faulkner, Mrs. J. J. Fisher, Mrs. Ralph R. Glass, Mrs. Morris Goldwater, Mrs. M. B. Hazeline, Mrs. R. S. Sloan, Mrs. Thomas G. Norris, Miss Harriet Jean Oliver, Mrs. R. E. Sloan, Mrs. J. B. Tomlinson and Mrs. J. M. Watts.

Mrs. W. W. Ross entertained very pleasantly on Saturday afternoon at a sewing party in honor of Miss Lila Hawkins. Those who enjoyed this pleasant afternoon were Mrs. J. J. Fisher, Miss Lila Hawkins, Miss Winnifred Fredericks, Miss Mabel Norris, Miss Cora Thomas and Miss Theresa Fredericks.

One of the pleasant affairs of the week was the luncheon given by Miss Lila Hawkins and Miss Florence Cady, when covers were laid for the Misses Helen Gibbs, Helen Edwards, Ethel

Wood, Elsie Bean, Clara Hoff and Lila Hawkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry M. Thomas were dinner hosts Thursday evening at their home on Mount Vernon avenue in honor of Major and Mrs. C. C. Walcott, Jr., and also the celebration of their third wedding anniversary. Their guests were seated around a very prettily decorated table—the center piece being a large bowl of yellow chrysanthemums. Those present were Major and Mrs. C. C. Walcott, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Thomas.

Friday afternoon Miss Lila Hawkins was the motif for a very charming tea given by Miss Mabel Norris. A most animated tea it was, and one of the jolliest of the week. Those enjoying the afternoon were the Misses Lila Hawkins, Theresa Fredericks, Lora Bitnar, Ruth Oliver, Winnifred Fredericks, Emma Dutcher, Ann McKensie, Cora Thomas and Harriet Jean Oliver.

Mrs. J. S. Murphy was a hostess on Tuesday evening at a "election bridge party," and entertained a few of her friends very delightfully in honor of Mrs. C. C. Walcott, Jr., at the Hotel St. Michael. At the close of the evening Mrs. Walcott was presented with a silver drinking cup as the guest prize and Mrs. Leslie B. Larimer received a silver stamp box for having made the highest score. Those who enjoyed the evening were Major and Mrs. C. C. Walcott, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Leslie B. Larimer, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Meany, and Mr. Bernard Cuniff.

Thursday evening Miss Emma Dutcher was hostess at a very delightful bridge party, given in honor of Miss Lila Hawkins. Miss Dutcher's guests were Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Meany, Miss Lila Hawkins, Miss Theresa Fredericks, Miss Mabel Norris, Doctor R. W. Graham and the Messrs Rhinehart and Egbert Dutcher.

Tuesday afternoon Mrs. J. J. Hawkins entertained the Whipple Bridge club very pleasantly at her home on Mount Vernon avenue and had as her guests Mrs. Fred W. Foster, Mrs. C. C. Walcott, Jr., Mrs. R. E. Sloan, Mrs. Edward A. Sturges, Mrs. J. J. Fisher, Mrs. Paul Burks and Miss Harriet Jean Oliver.

Miss Theresa Fredericks was a hostess to the Prescott Bridge club on Tuesday afternoon and entertained the club and a few of her friends very delightfully. Those present were Mrs. Thomas G. Norris, Mrs. Morris Goldwater, Mrs. G. E. Meany, Mrs. Leslie B. Larimer, Mrs. Dixon Fagerberg, Mrs. Ralph R. Glass and Mrs. Frank M. Drescher.

One of the most enjoyable affairs of the week was the five hundred party given by Mrs. Arthur Robinson on Friday afternoon, at her home on Grove avenue, when she entertained about fifty of her lady friends very pleasantly. All during the afternoon punch was served, and after the serving of dainty refreshments the prizes were awarded. Mrs. Nathan Levy received an Indian plaque for the high score prize, and Mrs. Sadie Oberbeck was given a very handsome drawn work centerpiece for having made the most lone hands. Mrs. Dixon Fagerberg, Mrs. J. J. Fisher, Mrs. J. Stevens and Mrs. Charles McLane cut for the most progressions, and the prize was won by Mrs. Stevens. A prize for making a score of five hundred or more at any one table was won by Mrs. Ralph R. Glass—it was a silver slipper pin cushion. Those who enjoyed the afternoon were Mrs. H. E. Armitage, Mrs. W. D. Baker, Mrs. E. S. Clark, Mrs. J. J. Fisher, Mrs. Dixon Fagerberg, Mrs. T. C. Job, Mrs. A. A. Johns, Mrs. P. A. Johns, Mrs. G. E. Meany, Mrs. Charles McLane, Mrs. E. H. Meeks, Mrs. J. W. Milnes, Mrs. Henry Hecker, Mrs. J. Merritt, Mrs. Sadie Oberbeck, Mrs. W. W. Ross, Mrs. J. H. Robinson, Mrs. B. Robinson, Mrs. G. C. Ruffner, Mrs. J. W. Stewart, Mrs. Leslie B. Larimer, Mrs. N. Levy, Mrs. D. Levy, Mrs. J. B. Tomlinson, Mrs. J. R. Lowry, Mrs. Willis, Miss Winnifreda Gale, Mrs. F. M. Drescher, Mrs. Sanford, Mrs. R. Baehr, Mrs. Bailey, Mrs. Vanderbilt, Mrs. Bischoff, Mrs. Wm. Rhodes, Mrs. Paul, Mrs. J. Stevens, Mrs. Wetstine, Mrs. O. H. Tucker, Miss Tucker, Mrs. J. A. Hope, Mrs. Morris Goldwater, Mrs. H. D. Aitken, Mrs. Thomas G. Norris, Mrs. J. C. Graves, Mrs. Ralph R. Glass, Mrs. William Lloyd, Miss May Weaver, and Mrs. Norton.

Mrs. H. D. Aitken was a hostess at

an unusually pleasant bridge party on Saturday afternoon, when she entertained a few of her friends. After the serving of most delicious refreshments, prizes were awarded Miss Harriet Jean Oliver, a candlestick, for the high score. Mrs. Edward A. Kastner received one of the late novels for the second high score and Mrs. Ralph J. Roper was given a very pretty hatpin for the consolation.

Mrs. Aitken was assisted by Mrs. Frank W. Foster. Those who enjoyed the afternoon were Mrs. Paul Burks, Mrs. C. C. Walcott, Jr., Mrs. Thomas G. Norris, Mrs. Morris Goldwater, Mrs. Hugo Richards, Mrs. Thomas C. Job, Mrs. R. E. Sloan, Mrs. Fred W. Foster, Mrs. G. E. Meany, Mrs. James A. Hope, Mrs. Ralph R. Glass, Mrs. Robert H. Burmister, Mrs. J. J. Hawkins, Mrs. Frank W. Foster, Mrs. J. M. Watts, Mrs. Ed. Block, Mrs. Ralph J. Roper, Mrs. Edward A. Kastner, Mrs. J. J. Fisher, Mrs. W. H. Doyle and Miss Harriet Jean Oliver.

Miss Theresa M. Fredericks was a hostess at a very jolly tea on Saturday afternoon, when she entertained a few of her lady friends very pleasantly at her home on South Pleasant street. Those who thoroughly enjoyed the afternoon were the Misses Lila Hawkins, Mabel Norris, Emma Dutcher, Ann McKensie, Ethel Wood, Elsie Bean, Helen Edwards, Louise Gibbs, Winnifreda Gale, Winnifred Fredericks and Harriet Jean Oliver.

During the six months' stay of Major and Mrs. C. C. Walcott, Jr., in Prescott they have made many very warm friends all of whom regret very much that they have been ordered to take station at Honolulu. Major and Mrs. Walcott expect to leave here November 20 and to sail for Honolulu by December 5.

Major Fred W. Foster returned home Monday morning from the manoeuvre camp at Atascadero, Cal. Since his return home Major Foster has received orders to proceed with the fifth regiment of cavalry to Honolulu and there pick out a suitable location for the regiment. During the four years' stay here Major and Mrs. Foster have made very many warm friends and their move has caused many expressions of regret. Major Foster expects to sail by November 28.

Heartiest congratulations are being conveyed to the household of Mr. and Mrs. Paul P. Hastings since the arrival of a wee baby daughter on Tuesday.

Mrs. J. J. Hawkins and Miss Lila Hawkins expect to leave Wednesday for Kansas City. Miss Hawkins will sail from New York on the 28th of this month for Naples.

Major and Mrs. C. C. Walcott, Jr., entertained very delightfully at an informal bridge party on Friday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Murphy, who left Sunday for their future home at Denver, Colo.

Miss Olive Fisher returned home Saturday evening from a three months' visit in Los Angeles, Cal.

## Monday Club.

The Monday Club met at the usual time on Monday last and the only business of importance transacted was the acceptance by the club of the report of the educational committee. This committee, acting under suggestions recently referred to them from Mrs. Fish, recommended "that a mother's club, to co-operate with the teachers in our schools, be undertaken by the Monday Club." After some discussion, during which the many advantages to be derived from such a plan were presented, the club voted to form such a co-operative system. This seems certainly a step in the right direction of progress, as any project to bring the mother and teacher in closer relationship must tend toward a more perfect understanding, and form the "tie that binds" between these two all-important factors in a child's life, the home and the school.

After the usual recess, Mrs. N. Levy, in charge of the program, introduced Miss Blake, who accompanied by Mrs. Bert, rendered two vocal solos in a manner which caused the audience to hope she had come to stay. It is to be hoped, soon again to hear these talented young women. A paper, written by Mrs. Milne, and read by Mrs. W. W. Ross, followed, and the reader gave emphasis to what appeared to be the keynote of the written thought, "Create a favorable local impression." A paper read by Mrs. Milne, also one read by Mrs. Baker along the line of the subject under consideration, followed by short items read by Mrs. Collins and Mrs. Fagerberg, completed the program. A general discussion then took place, which showed a live interest in the subject of improvement, such interest being shared by the number of guests present, whose presence is always most helpful and encouraging.

The club will meet at the usual time tomorrow at the home of Mrs. R. M. Ling, 125 N. Pleasant street. After the general meeting the music section will have charge.

## RED METAL MARKET DOES NOT WAIT ON ELECTION

### Prediction Made Copper Will Top 15 Cents This Year

Copper was one of the many things that did not wait on the outcome of the election, says the Mining Record. For several weeks past the improvement has been marked, and there is at this time every evidence that the red metal is going to push up to the place which every producer unquestionably wants to see realized—15-cent copper before the close of the year 1908. The weekly sales are now aggregating better than 50,000,000 pounds, including both the domestic and export trade. It is not difficult to see that this is far in excess of the maximum production. This fact does not indicate that this great record will be, or can be maintained, but it shows that many orders held in abeyance must have grown tired of waiting and have been put upon the books. It also indicates that Europe has been purchasing for actual consumption rather than for speculative purposes. Selling agencies are not anxious to place copper at any figure under 14 cents a pound, and it is certain that the producers are not attempting to sell any lower than the best price. The big mines are running without surplus, proving that a strengthening of the market will be logical, and that it will not be in danger of any such setbacks as those that came with the excessive prices of 18 months ago.

To set forth the facts concerning the red metal, we would direct attention to the figures of production. The maximum output of the United States, Mexico and Canada is placed at 900,000,000 pounds of refined copper annually. This would call for an average daily consumption of 3,000,000 pounds, figuring out Sundays and holidays. If at this time the daily sales aggregate three times this amount, it follows that orders are calling for delivery well into the future. This is the condition that makes for higher markets. True, much of this excessive ordering is to carry some of the large manufacturing plants well along the road for weeks, or even months, to come. But if their optimism is based on fact, then we may assume there will be a repetition of orders at high prices. Europe is using more copper than it ever did before, and demands are increasing right along in this country.

What might be termed the technical situation of copper is exceptionally strong, and even though Nevada, Utah and other sections are striving toward heavier output, it follows there should not be any change in the price program of the metal. The stocks—meaning the copper securities—have already begun to strengthen, and they will follow with the actual physical progress of the enterprises; meaning, by this, the results of new development work, the successful placing of the output and the growth in copper demands. The dividend rate has a great deal to do with copper stock prices, but the large companies will take no action in this respect until there is evidence of a large surplus.

News from the red metal camps is also encouraging, showing that activity in the properties is by no means a theoretical thing. The earnings of the North Butte are now better than \$7 a share annually. The company is already paying on a basis of \$4 a share, and it is whispered that an advance may be looked for soon after the first of the year. The company is producing close to 3,750,000 pounds monthly. The cost of production is placed at 8 cents a pound, meaning a profit of approximately 6 cents a pound, or \$225,000 a month, implying \$2,700,000 a year net. This should experience a considerable increase with the betterment in the copper market.

The Butte Coalition is producing at the rate of 25,000,000 pounds a year, and this is to be increased to at least 40,000,000 pounds yearly. The new development work has disclosed the fact that the Coalition ought to be the premier of this district, and this should have a marked effect on the market value of the stock. No definite word has been passed as to the dividend outlook, but it is believed that some action will be taken soon after the first of the year. The company is making a most commendable showing from the earning viewpoint.

Anent the possibilities of the market, one of the largest interests has stated that there will likely be at least 14½ cent copper before the close of 1908, and others are just as firm in their predictions of 15 cent copper.

The steady increase in the demand has demonstrated that whatever change will be made must be upward. The developments during the past week have so encouraged producers and selling agencies that the cloud is now regarded as having been absolutely dissipated in this field.

Another feature we should take into consideration is the broadening of the production. The improvements, new development work, new plants and new smelters that have added to the possibilities of the copper producers throughout the country may be taken as evidence of an increase in output. Some of this growth has already taken place, but, on the other hand, some of the properties and plants have been retarded. For example, the flood that put the Boston & Montana smelter out of business drew from the productive power of that company. The tendency, however, is toward an increase in production. Canada has witnessed many innovations; the Utah producers are working along lines looking toward an increased output; Ely has added materially to the production, and within another year the output of American copper should range close to 1,200,000,000 pounds, or a growth of 33 per cent. It has been shown that European demands alone have increased an average of 40 per cent, and it is likely that the return of normal conditions in this country will mean a corresponding growth. Therefore, unless the properties are able to meet this forward movement in the demand the copper situation would become almost as perilous through high prices as before. We also direct attention to what we have previously said: There are broadening opportunities for those who will prove up new copper properties. The world can easily stand greater red metal production.

With the exception of silver, the metal outlook is most encouraging. Copper firm at 14 cents for the better grades, lead close to \$4.40 and spelter around \$4.80, unite in speaking volumes for the mines, the smelters and the metal demands. Silver has been unexpectedly hard hit by the situation in the Orient—not that the drop has been great, but it came at a time when an advance was actually looked for. The white metal is around 51 cents, but a change would easily be wrought by the closing of Chinese and Indian orders that have been anticipated. The tin market, both here and in Europe, is strong, with noticeable gains recorded. In connection with the metal markets and their bearing on the business situation, it is well to note that the metals are not in demand unless manufacturing is increasing. The metal markets form no mean barometer when it comes to "lining up" the general growth by reverting to them and the lessons they set forth.

## SOUTHLAND GETS STOCK.

Many Shipments Pass on Way to Salt River Country.

(From Sunday's Daily.) Twenty-four carloads of stock passed through here yesterday morning consigned to points in the Salt River valley. The steers are from the ranges of northern Yavapai county. Eleven of the carloads were shipped by King Brothers from Del Rio to Joe Monihan of Phoenix. Six carloads were from the ranges east and south of Mayer consigned to Evans of Buckeye. Five of the cars were loaded with sheep and horses belonging to an emigrant and one was filled with blooded sheep belonging to C. C. Hutchinson of this county for exhibition at the territorial fair.

Tribelet and Hurley of Phoenix are loading thirty-four cars with steers at Holbrook for shipment to the Salt River valley pastures. This consignment will pass through here in a few days.

George A. Carter left here last evening for Williamson valley to select fifteen carloads of steers for shipment to Imperial, California. He will make the shipment from Kirkland November 10.

Carter says that Arizona feeders are in demand in California and are considered high grade cattle there.

## ELECTION JOKE.

J. T. Nelson and J. C. Johnston, candidates for constable of Jerome Junction precinct, were the victims of a practical joke election day. Both were anxious to be elected to the position and had been pressing their claims to the place ten days before. The night before election an informal meeting was held by those not numbered in the Nelson or Johnston "pushes." William Howard was selected to run for constable against Nelson and Johnston. He accepted the nomination and was elected by an overwhelming majority, receiving 28 votes against 14 for Nelson and 8 for Johnston.

Nelson and Johnston refuse to discuss politics since the vote was counted.

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## PELLET GROUP OF CLAIMS BRINGS \$30,000

One of the most important mining deals in several months was closed yesterday afternoon here when the title to the properties of the Lancaster Gold and Copper Mining Company and the Pellet group of claims, owned by R. L. Peller of this city, passed into a Pittsburgh syndicate, headed by W. L. Bennett, of Derry, a suburb of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. The purchase price is \$30,000, the entire amount being paid. The deal was consummated through John J. Jackson after negotiations lasting three months.

The Lancaster and Pellet groups comprise eight claims located in the Copper Basin district adjoining the Commercial Mining Company's patented properties. Bennett purchased the entire outstanding issue of stock of the Lancaster Company and paid Pellet east for his six claims.

An enormous tonnage of ore sampling \$17 to the ton is exposed in the claims in a number of shafts ranging in depth from 25 to 40 feet and open cuts. The development shows a very extensive mineralization in sulphides carrying values as stated in copper and gold.

Large development operations will be started in the next two months. Two shafts will be sunk to depths of 500 and 600 feet respectively and a large concentrating plant will be installed. The purchasing syndicate includes a number of leading financiers of itsburg. Bennett expects to have a large number of men at work on the ground before the first of the coming year. The sinking of the shafts will be rushed, hoisting machinery will be installed and the concentrating plant will be ready for operation as soon as the property is developed enough to insure a large daily output.

Copper Basin has long been considered one of the mineralogical conundrums of the mining experts of this and foreign countries. The waters of its creeks are highly impregnated with copper but until a few years ago no large ore deposits were discovered. Robert Brow and a miner named Murphy secured a lease on the slag dump where the dismantled Commercial Mining Company's smelter stood, three years ago. While prospecting the ground of the smelter site they discovered a rich stringer of ore which they followed with a tunnel. When only a few feet into the hill the stringer widened into a large ore body from which they extracted and shipped to the Humboldt smelters over \$50,000 worth of ore before their lease expired, only working a few miners. The lease was not renewed, as the company asked what the lessees considered too high a royalty.

The ore bodies exposed in the Lancaster and Pellet groups are similar in character to those of the Commercial Mining Company's claims. Skull valley, eight miles north, is the nearest railroad station to the camp, which is advantageously located for mining operations the entire year. There is an ample water supply available for a large reduction plant.

## HELD FOR GRAND JURY.

But Mexican Implicated in Cano Shooting Goes Free.

(From Sunday's Daily.) Because he admitted at the preliminary examination of Lenora Grenados, charged with the shooting of Pete Cano at Crown King, the night of October 25, that he had assaulted Jesus Alvarez with a knife in the same affair, Francisco Murelio was bound over to appear before the next grand jury under \$1,500 bonds. Alvarez, who was arrested on the charge of being implicated in the shooting of Cano, was discharged from custody, Murelio taking his place in jail.

Grenados was also held to answer before the grand jury under \$1,500 bonds. Cano, who was slightly wounded, is recovered from his injuries.

Fred Rowe, who shot and slightly wounded Ed Parsons the evening of November 3 at Government Springs, was also held to appear before the next grand jury under \$1,500 bonds. In default of the required bonds the prisoners were remanded to jail.

## THE NEXT LEGISLATURE.

Council—Democrats 9, Republicans 3. Assembly—Democrats 14, Republicans 10.

The personnel of the council will be as follows: Apache—E. E. Day, R. Mohave—Keen St. Charles, D. Coconino—Fred Breen, R. Yavapai—M. G. Burns, D. Navajo—William Morgan, D. Maricopa—Eugene Brady O'Neill, D. Pinal—Thomas F. Weedlin, D. Yuma—George W. Norton, D. Gila—G. E. P. Hunt. Graham—John R. Hampton, D. Cochise—C. L. Caves, R. Pima—Santa Cruz—James B. Finley.